BEARFACTS 1991 – 2001 Austin-Round Rock (MSA) [12420]

Austin-Round Rock is one of 363 Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs) in the nation. Its 2001 population of 1,325,305 ranked 39th in the nation.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2001 Austin-Round Rock had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$32,060. This PCPI ranked 52nd in the United States and was 105 percent of the national average, \$30,574. The 2001 PCPI reflected a decrease of 1.4 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 national change was 2.4 percent. In 1991 the PCPI of Austin-Round Rock was \$18,405 and ranked 139th in the United States. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 5.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 4.4 percent.

TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2001 Austin-Round Rock had a total personal income (TPI) of \$42,489,015*. This TPI ranked 40th in the United States. In 1991 the TPI of Austin-Round Rock was \$16,209,192* and ranked 54th in the United States. The 2001 TPI reflected an increase of 3.2 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 national change was 3.5 percent. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of TPI was 10.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.6 percent.

COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Austin-Round Rock. In 2001 net earnings accounted for 78.2 percent of TPI (compared with 73.0 in 1991); dividends, interest, and rent were 14.5 percent (compared with 18.2 in 1991); and personal current transfer receipts were 7.2 percent (compared with 8.7 in 1991). From 2000 to 2001 net earnings increased 2.8 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 1.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 12.3 percent. From 1991 to 2001 net earnings increased on average 10.9 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 7.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 8.1 percent.

EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Austin-Round Rock increased from \$36,686,031* in 2000 to \$37,651,251* in 2001, an increase of 2.6 percent. The 2000-2001 national change was 3.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1991 estimate of \$13,167,982* to the 2001 estimate was 11.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.8 percent.

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^{*}Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.